

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Tennessee Division of Water Resources

NRS15.343-PH-1601-01

The division will hold a public hearing to seek comment concerning an application for a state water quality permit for the proposed filling 765 feet of an unnamed intermittent stream for the construction of a new middle school, Shelby County, TN (Lat: 35.26163/Lon: -89.74641). The permit is requested by the applicant for an Individual Aquatic Resource Alteration Permit which serves as water quality certification to the US Army Corps of Engineers Section 404 permit. This proposal impacts would be mitigated by enhancement of stream buffers and tree planting along three stream segments and the preservation of wetlands and two acres of environmental education area.

Date: February 22, 2016
Time: 5:30 PM Informational Question and Answer Session
6:00 PM Public Hearing Begins

Location: Lakeland Town Hall
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The public notice of this project, file number NRS15.343, published on January 12, 2016, can be found on the Internet at <https://www.tn.gov/environment/topic/ppo-water>.

Persons wishing to comment on or object to the application proposal are invited to deliver oral or written comment at the public hearing. The hearing officer will limit all testimony to relevant water quality issues and may limit testimony in the interest of time. However, all persons desiring to speak will be given an opportunity to do so. The public is also invited to submit comments in writing to the division by 4:30 pm on Friday, March 3, 2016 at the address printed below. After considering all public comments, the division will publish a final permit decision and a notice determination, which includes the division's response to comments.

Interested persons may obtain additional information or inspect and copy the application and related documents during business hours at the division's office in Nashville (615-532-0660) at the address listed below.

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